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LISTING OF CLAIMS

1. (currently amended) A method of doing business where a wireline telephone company provides wireless telephone communication through a telephone network including:

providing a plurality of telephone signals over one or more wireline connected to one or more network nodes in wireless communication proximity to one or more telephone users; and

selectively responding to wireless signals comprising direct requests from one or more wireless devices for telephone network attachment through a wireless communication with the network node device and providing ~~connection~~ communication of signals from at least one of said wireless devices using to at least one of said plurality of telephone signals provided along said one or more wirelines based on wireless device user information provided to said network node.

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2. (previously presented) The method of claim 1 where:
at least one wireline is dedicated to a particular user.
3. (previously presented) The method of claim 1 where:
at least one wireline can be shared among multiple users.
4. (previously presented) The method of claim 1 where:
at least one user has access to both dedicated and shared wirelines.
5. (previously presented) The method of claim 3 where the telephone company sells priorities for sharing and wherein said selectively responding based on wireless device user information is based on said priorities.
6. (previously presented) The method of claim 3 where the telephone company sells the ability to pre-empt other calls and wherein said selectively responding based on wireless device user information is based on said ability to pre-empt.

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7. (original) The method of claim 6 where the telephone company sells priorities for preemption.

8. (previously presented) The method of claim 4 where the telephone company sells a multiplicity of telephone service access levels including:

single phone number, one guaranteed line, other concurrent calls on a preemptive basis and wherein said selectively responding based on wireless device user information is based on said service access levels.

9. (previously presented) The method of claim 4 where the telephone company sells a multiplicity of telephone service access levels including:

single phone number, one guaranteed line, other concurrent calls on a next available basis and wherein said selectively responding based on wireless device user information is based on said service access levels.

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10. (previously presented) The method of claim 4 where the telephone company sells a multiplicity of telephone service access levels including:

at least one of a multiplicity of maximum numbers of concurrent calls per telephone customer and wherein said selectively responding based on wireless device user information is based on said service access levels.

11. (previously presented) The method of claim 1 where the telephone company sells a service including:

bridging multiple handsets or modems to a single call connection.

12. (previously presented) The method of claim 1 where the telephone company sells a service including:

a handset or modem requesting privacy on a call.

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